

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of:

S. SHIRAYONE, et al.

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Serial No. 10/791,856

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For: METHOD FOR PROCESSING PLASMA PROCESSING APPARATUS

**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

April 2, 2008

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR 41.31, Applicants hereby appeal the rejection of claims 1, 3, 8-10 and 13-17, as set forth in the Final Office Action mailed January 2, 2008.

The requisite fee of \$510 is enclosed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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